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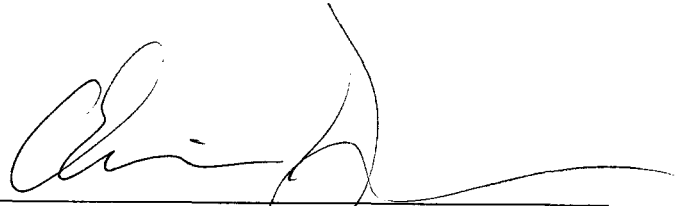
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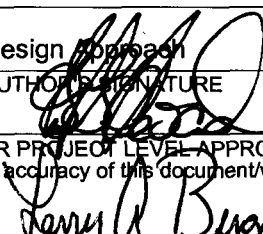


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**Concurrent Design:  
A Winning Cross-Disciplinary  
Analysis and Design Approach**

A  
Talk in the  
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2. Approach
3. The NPDT
4. Development Path
5. A Winning Approach
  - a, Loihi
  - b, OSIRIS
  - c, Mars Rovers/Landers
5. Research
6. Future

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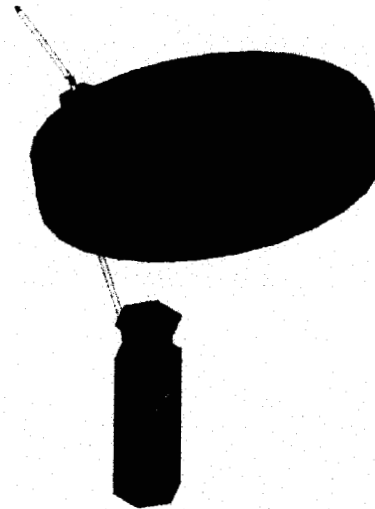
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Concurrent Design Teams  
Supported ~ 60 Studies  
Over the Last 3 Years



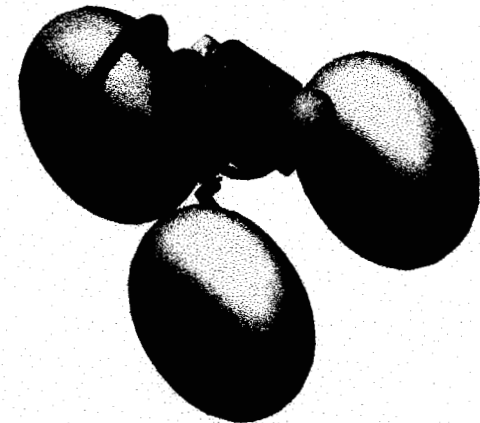
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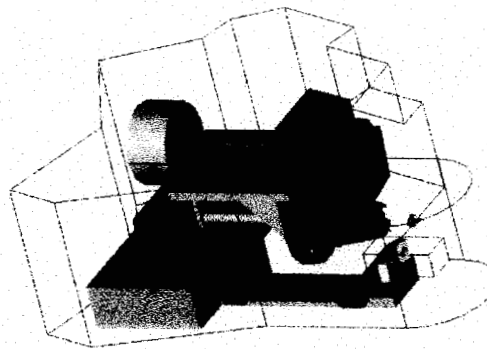


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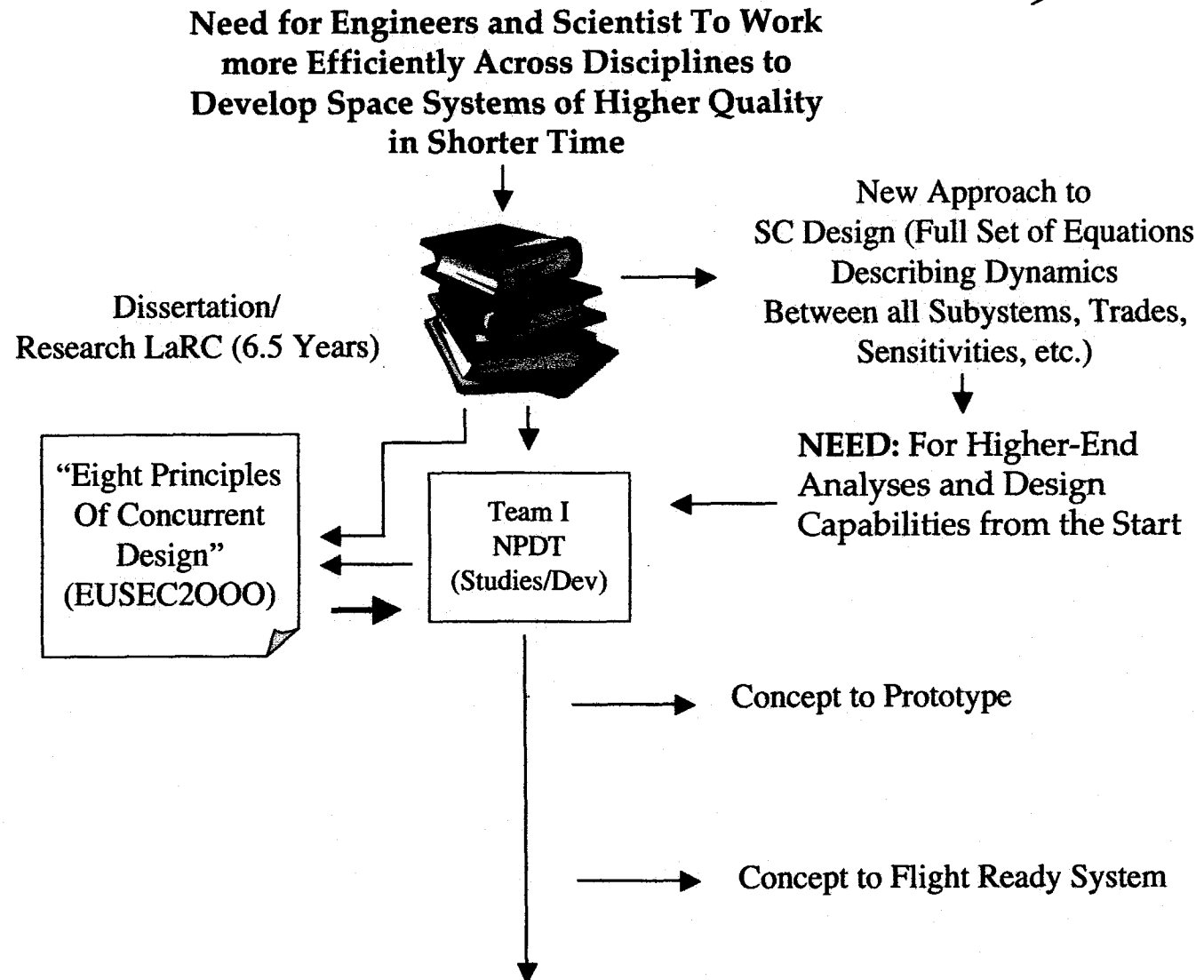


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Design Studies  
Improved ~ 10  
Time Compression

# *The Initial Steps...*



# Goal!

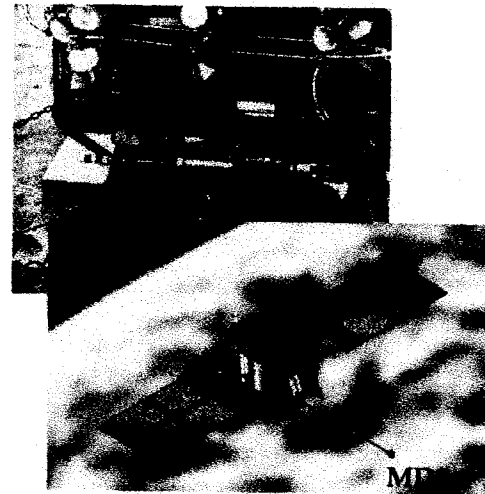
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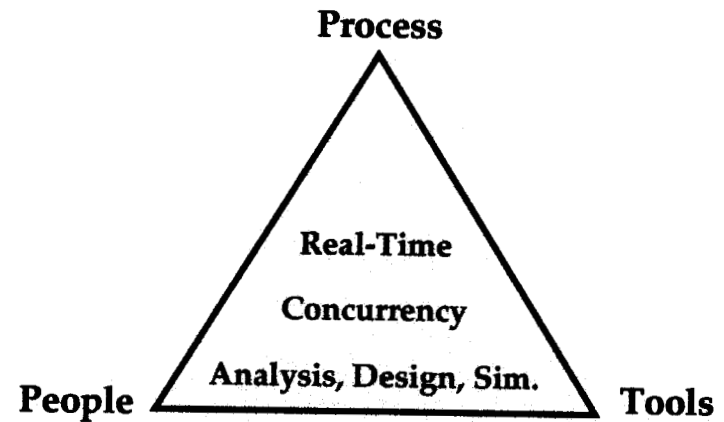
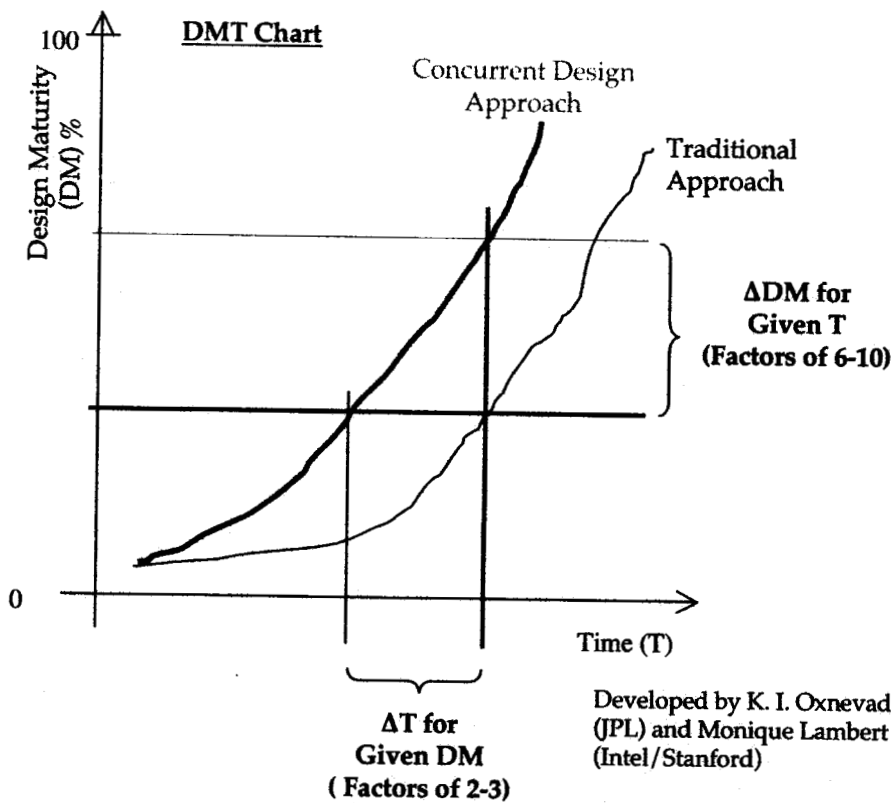
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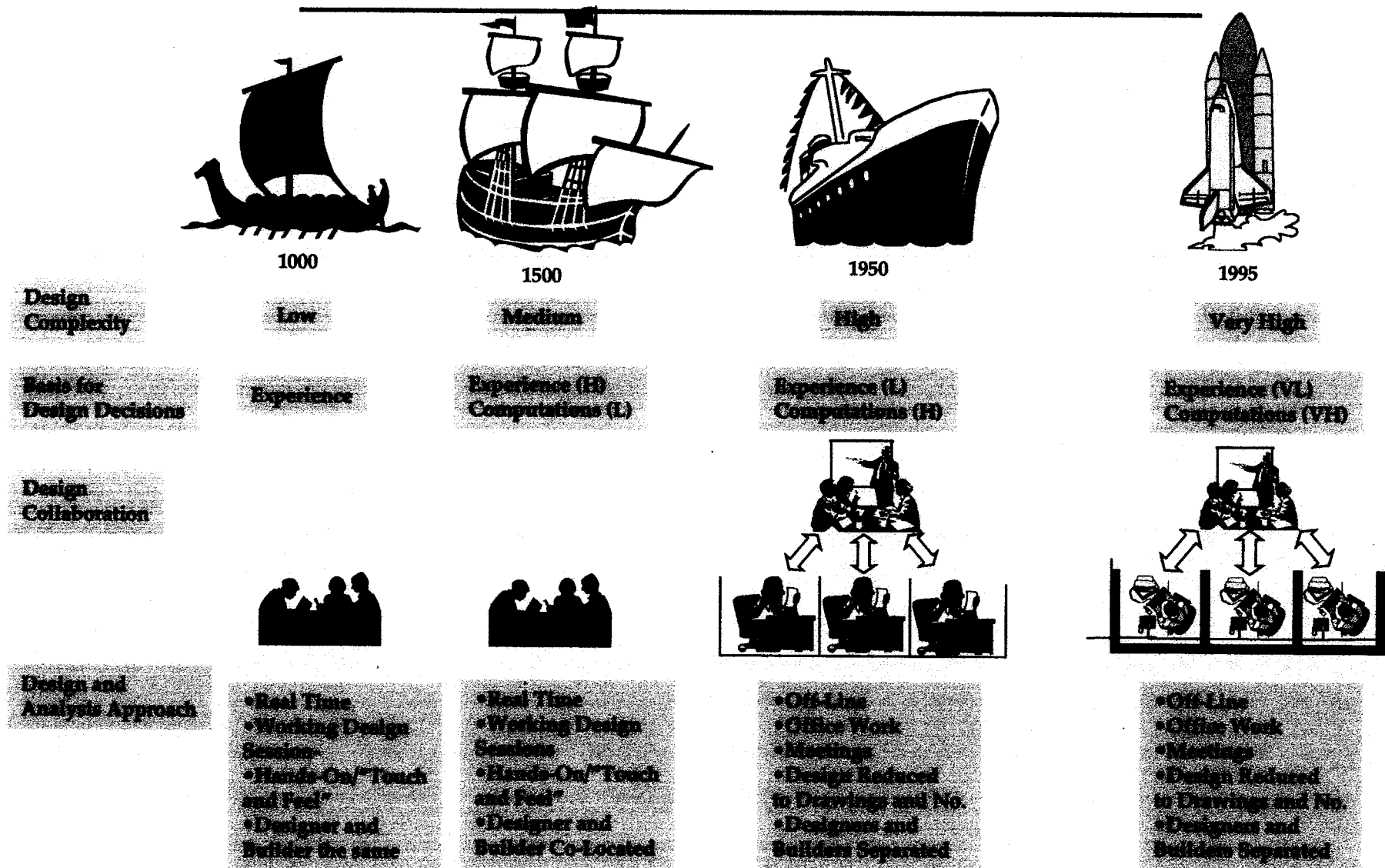




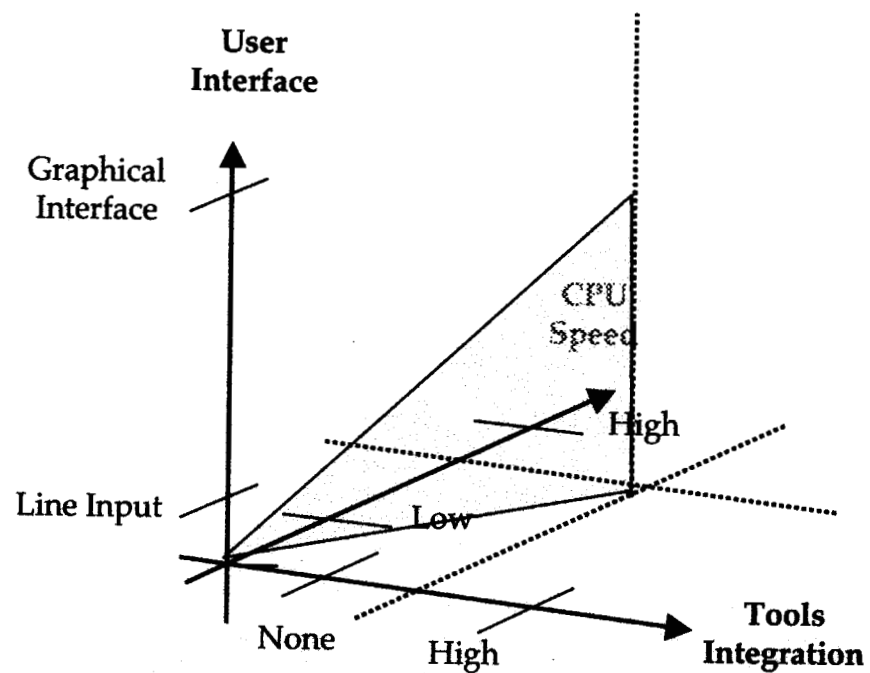
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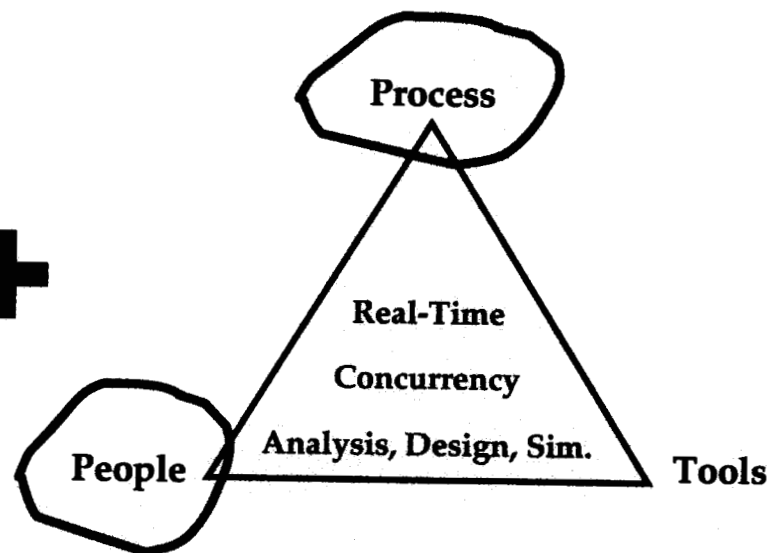
## A Historical Perspective



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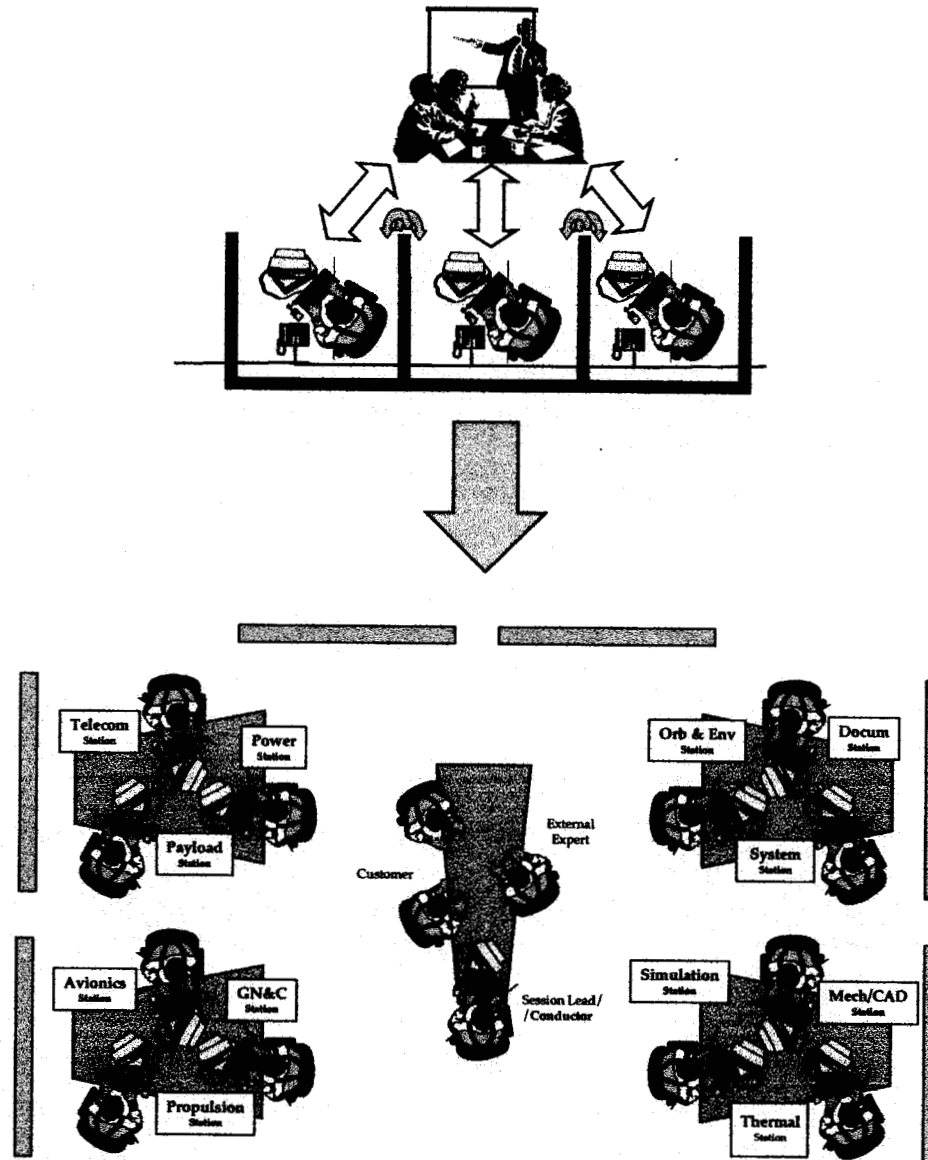


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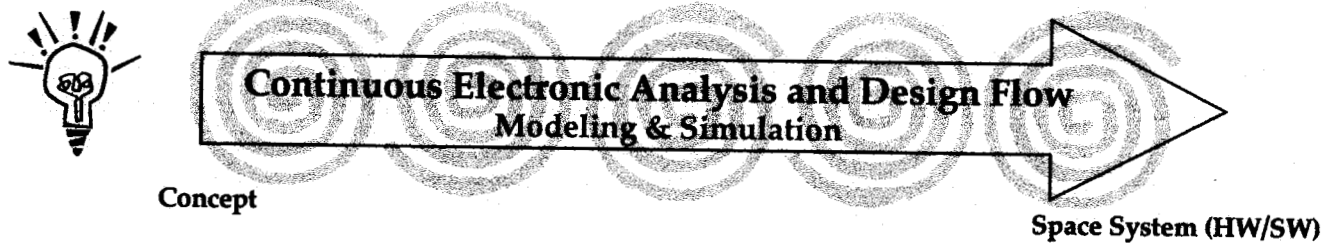
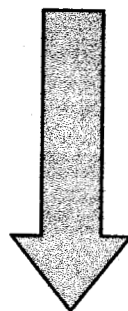
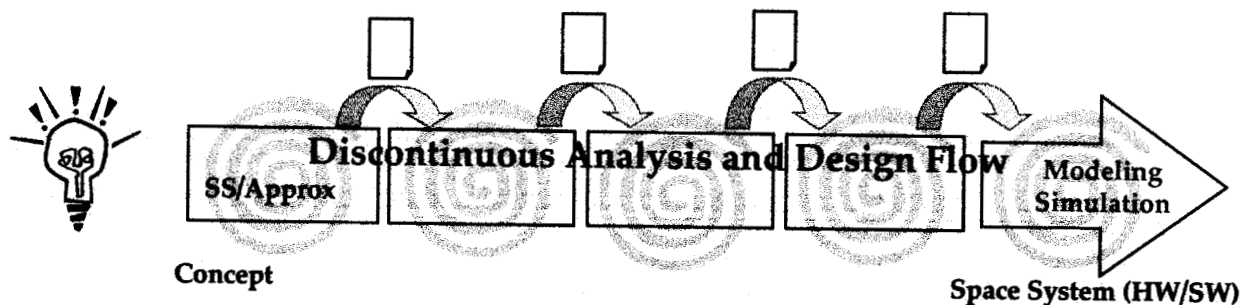


# Working Design Sessions

## Concurrent Design



# Design Flow Improvements

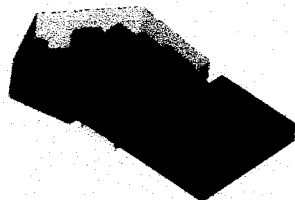


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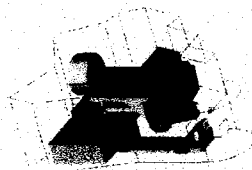
# In A Nut Shell

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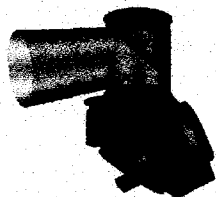
Discovery Phase 1  
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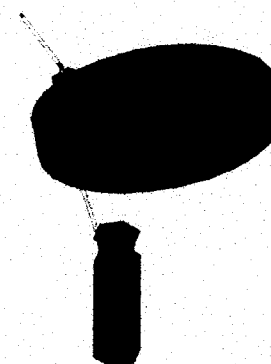


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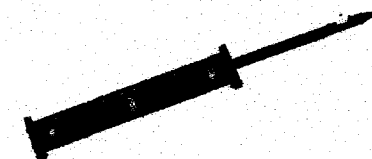


- *Concurrent Design and Analysis Environment*
- *Real-Time Analysis and Design*
- *Total Systems Approach, Multi-Disciplinary Team*
- *Standing Design Team*
- *Customer Actively Participates in the Design Sessions*
- *Input Parameters are Challenged in Real-Time*
- *Involved External Experts in the Design Sessions*
- *Joint Sessions with other NASA Centers*
- *From Concept to Engineering Drawings*
- *Interconnected, High-End Optical, Microwave, Mechanical/CAD, Thermal, Structural, Dynamics, Simulation, Orbital, Electronics Analysis and Design Tools, such as Code V, ZeMax, Mechanical Desktop, (Inventor), NASTRAN, Thermal Desktop, Adams, MODTool, and visualNASTRAN + (PowerTool, Telecom, Avionics)*
- *Applications Utilize a Common CAD Developed Geometry*
- *Open Environment, import/export of STEP, NASTRAN files, etc., from/to JPL, other NASA centers, and Industry*
- *Technology Insertion Through Cooperation with MDL/TAP*
- *Analysis and Design Time Cut from Months to Weeks*

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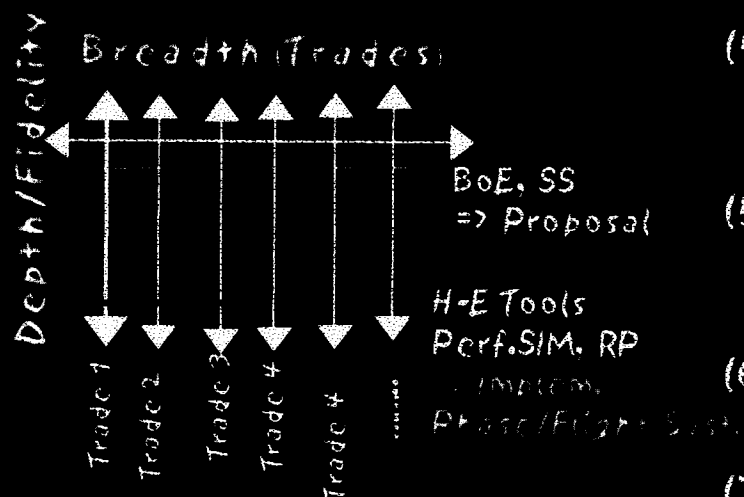


Loihi Deep Ocean,  
Volcanic  
Vent Probe





# "The Eight Principles of Concurrent Design"



- (1) Analysis and design activities are performed by a MULTI-DISCIPLINARY design team
- (2) Design team members work together in CONCURRENT SESSIONS
- (3) "Customers" and team members participate in the concurrent sessions
- (4) Analyses and design activities take place in a CONCURRENT, AND NEAR REAL-TIME fashion
- (5) INTER-LINKED HIGH-END COMPUTER TOOLS are utilized in the concurrent sessions by the team members
- (6) These high-end computer tools are used FROM THE EARLY PARTS OF THE DESIGN CYCLE
- (7) COMMON geometrical DATA (CAD) is SHARED electronically BETWEEN the TOOLS
- (8) CAD, structural, thermal, and optics data can be IMPORTED and EXPORTED to and from the design team.

EUSEC 2000



# The Steps...

Related

"8 Principles of CD"  
(EUSEC2000)

International IT Award

MSFC CDE  
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ISU SSP

UoM

New Paradigms Workshop  
(NASA HQ) **Stanford**

Team I -> NPDT

Team I -> Div 38

MSMS Team Set Up

**SURF (LATIS)**

**SURF (MEGAROVER)**

John Deere

R & D

Optical  
Mech  
Thermal  
Syst  
Cost

Structural

Simulation  
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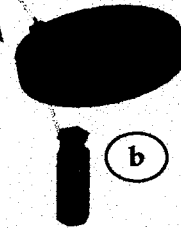
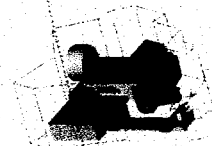
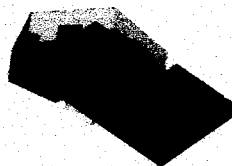
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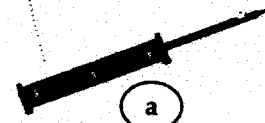
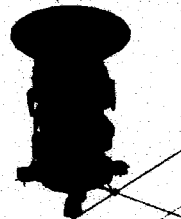
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Customer Support



b



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~ 60 Customers Supported

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## *Customer Statements*

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**Loihi Team Member:** Without Team I, it would have been impossible to get the Loihi probe done in time...

**OSIRIS Team Member:** The NPDT/ Team I contributed to making these winning proposals and flying missions

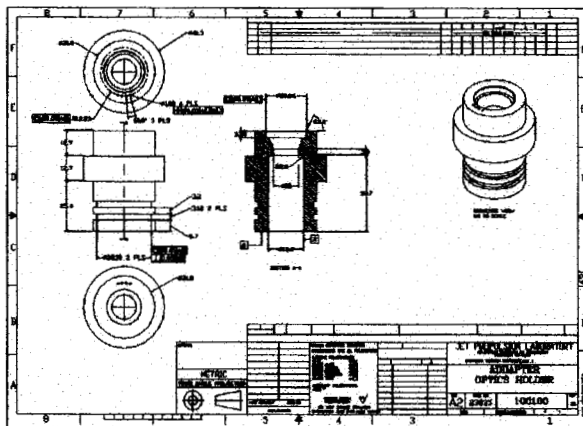
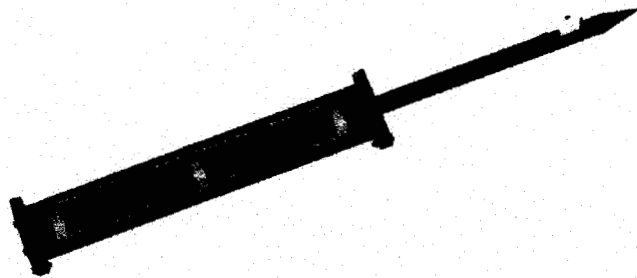
**OSSM Team Member:** My design is very mature at this point, and it does not make any sense to add on 30 % of reserves; and besides what will I be doing the next 1.5 years...



# Concept -> Eng Drawing Qual in 3 Weeks

## Intergrated: Opt, Mech, Struct

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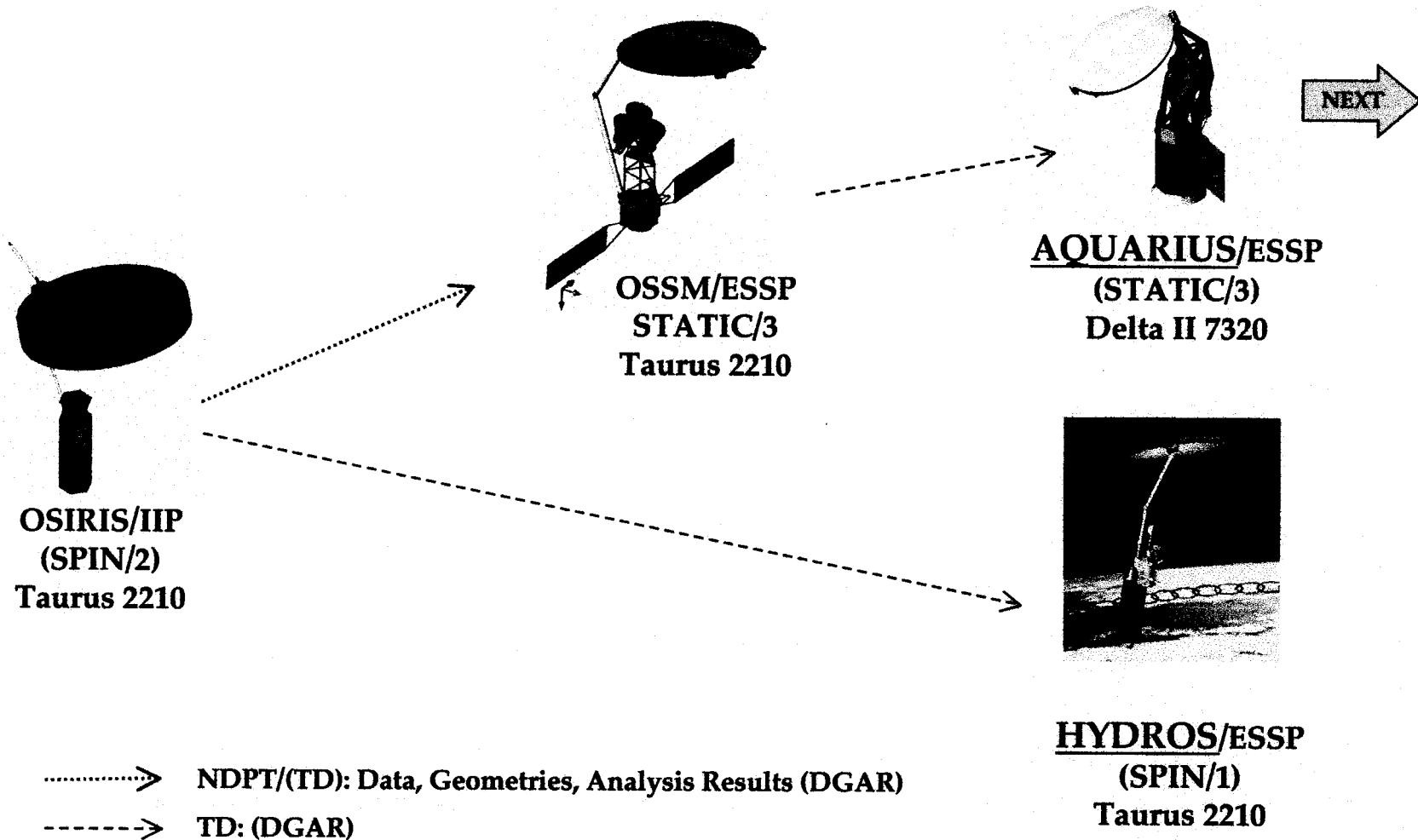


**Support:** Mechanical (parts and assemblies), Structural, Electronics, Optics, and Engineering Drawings



# OSIRIS -> AQUARIUS and HYDROS

## Genealogical Path



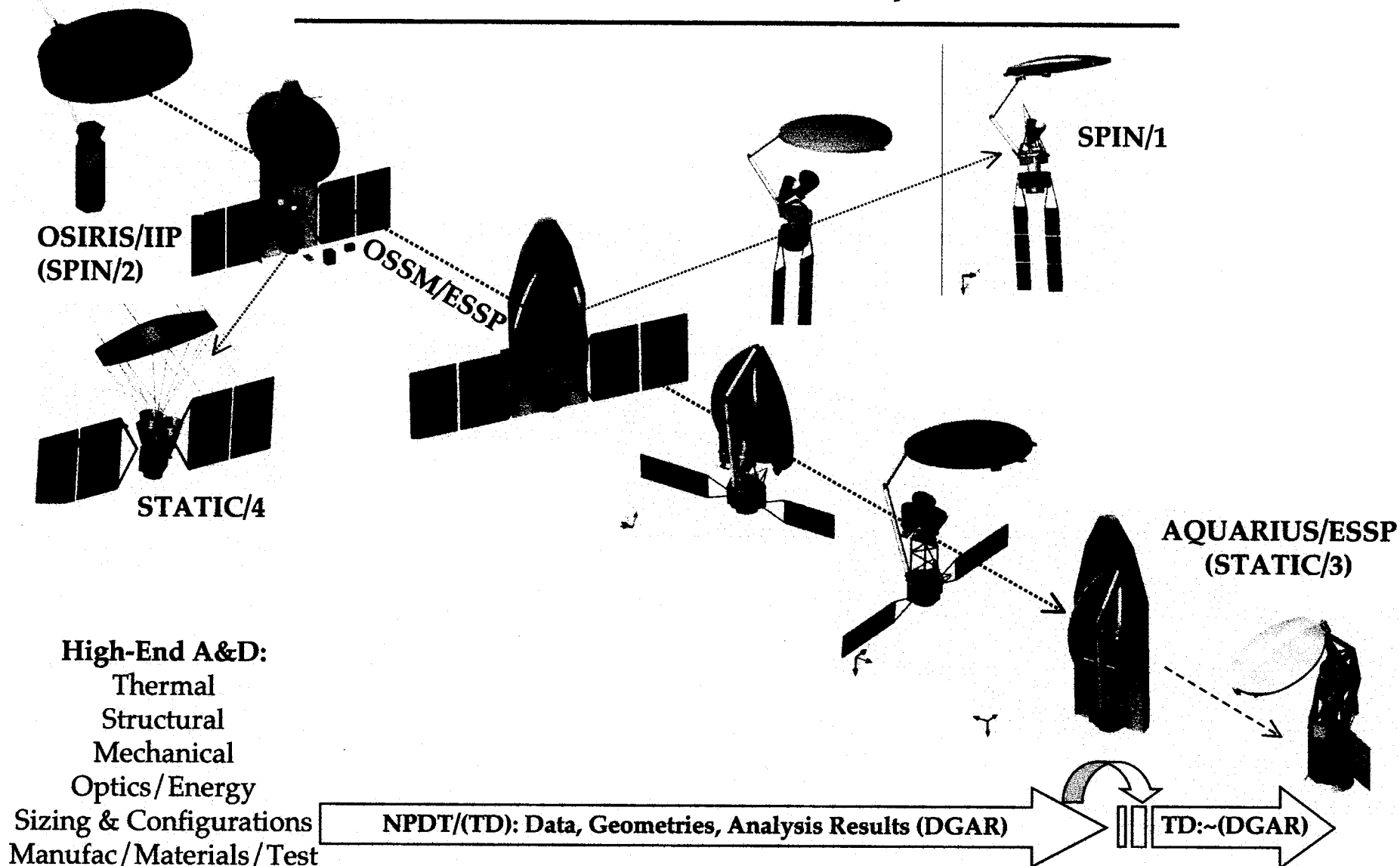
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OSIRIS: Ocean-salinity Soil-moisture Integrated Radiometer-radar Imaging System

**The NPDT**

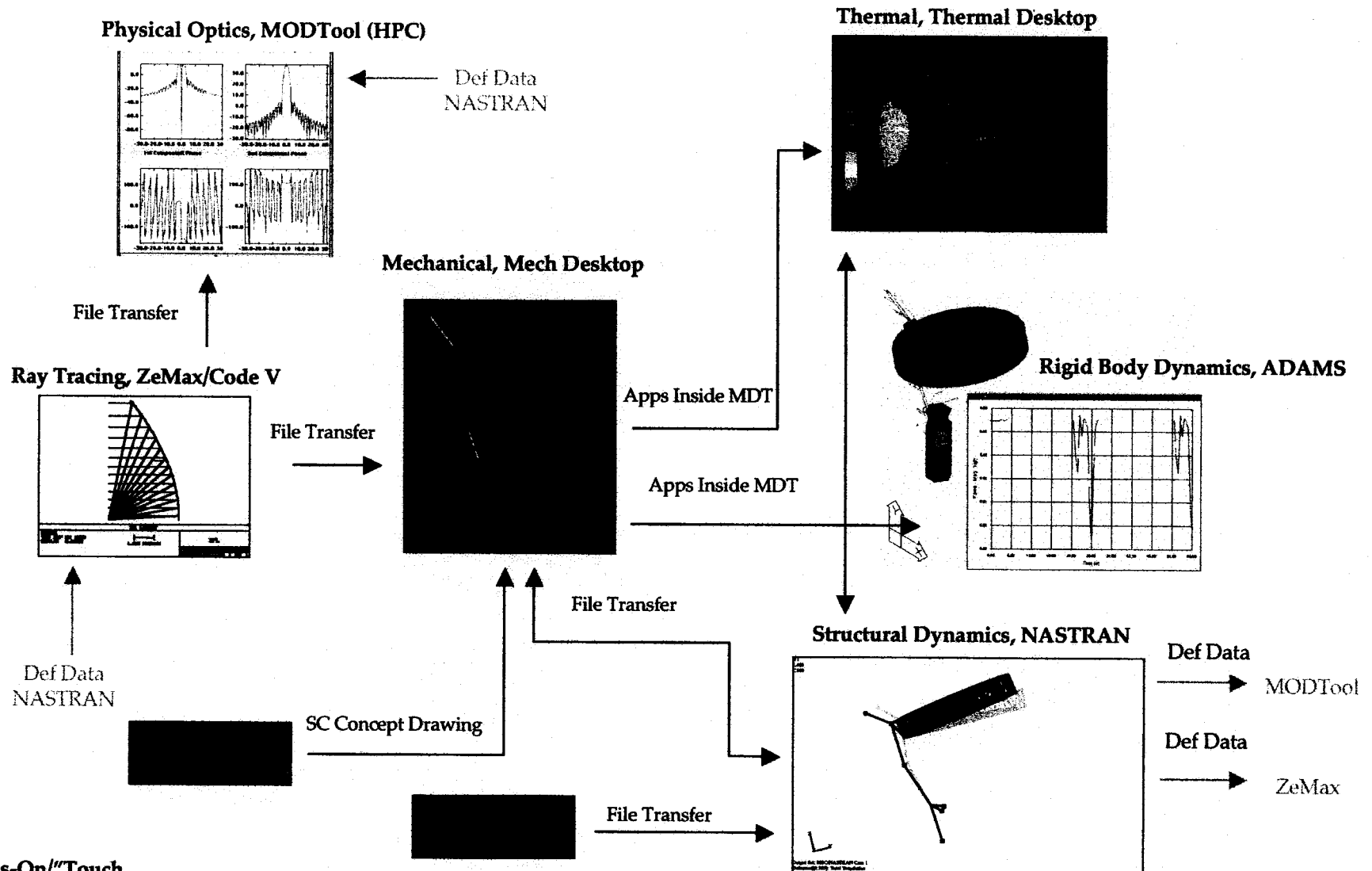
# OSIRIS to AQUARIUS

## Breadth and Depth





# Integrated, High-End Analysis and Design

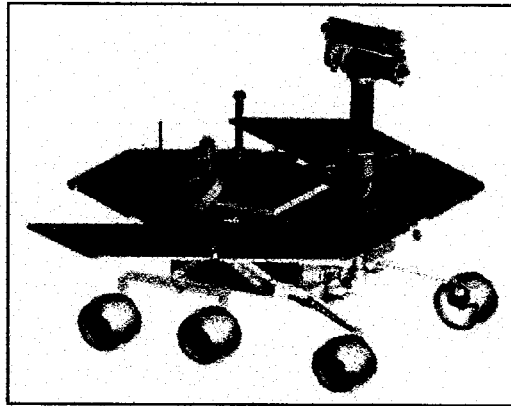


•Hands-On/"Touch and Feel"

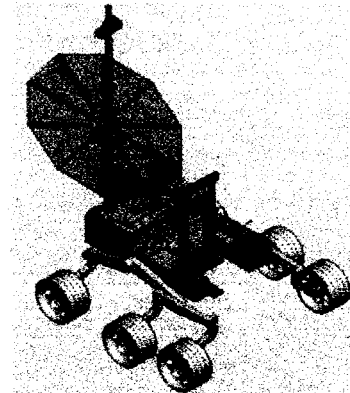
# *Mars Surface Mobility Studies*

## *Mars Advanced Studies*

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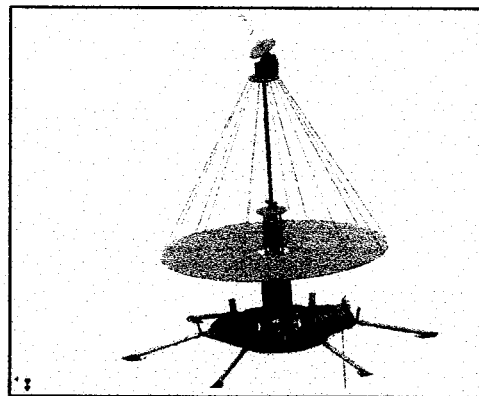


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Derivative**

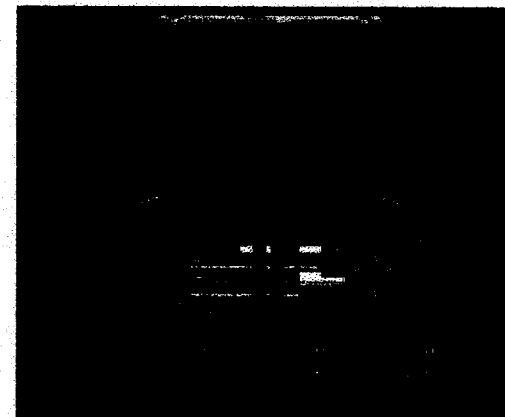


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**Polar Layer Deposit (PLD)**



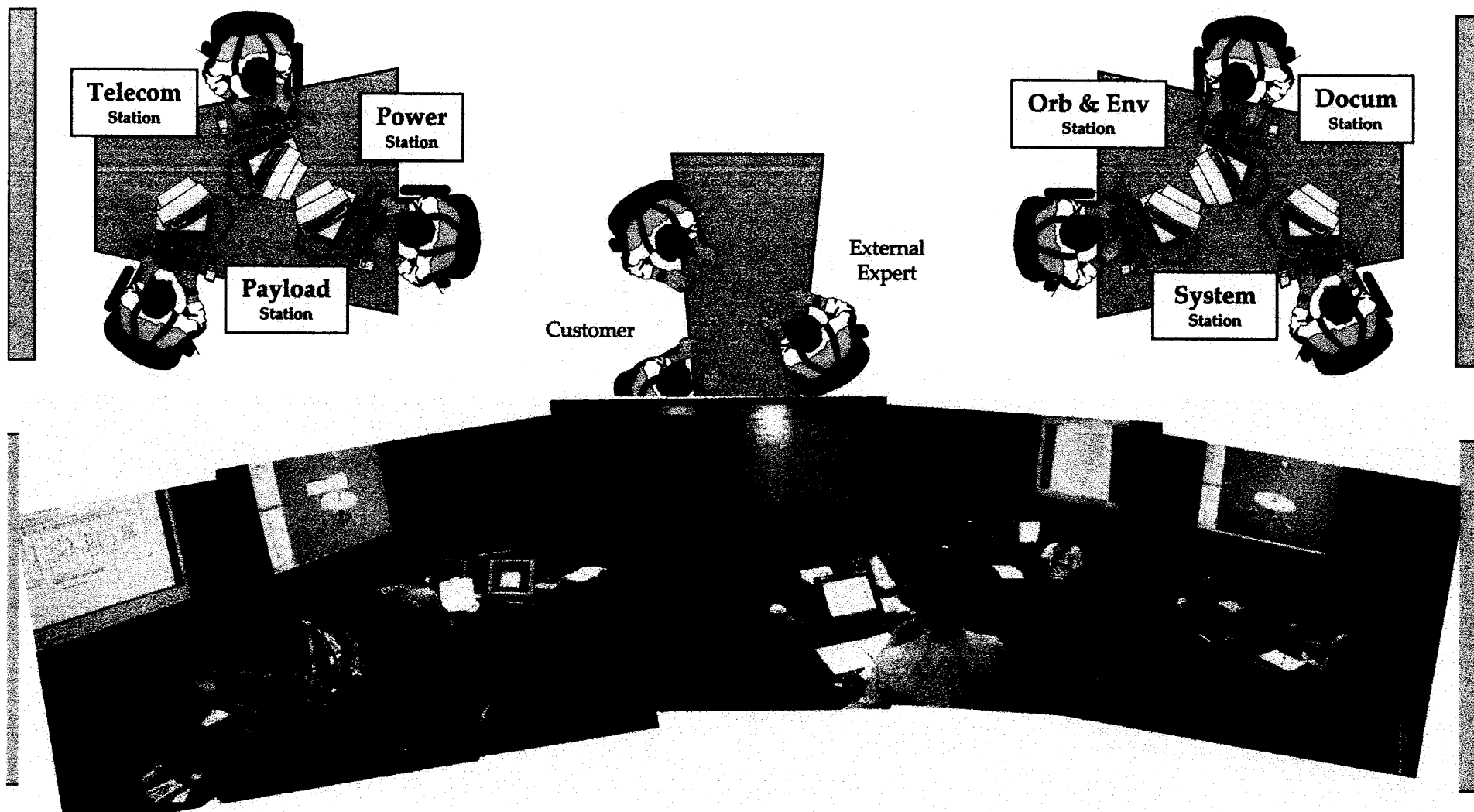
**Fission Powered Polar Based  
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Rover Mission**



# The Mars Surface Mobility Study (MSMS) Team



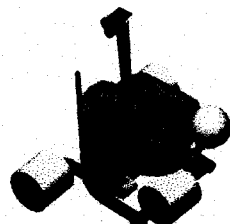
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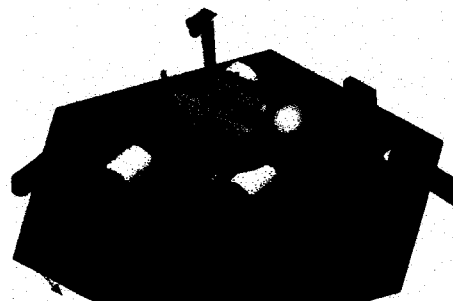
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# Sizing, Configuration, and Simulation

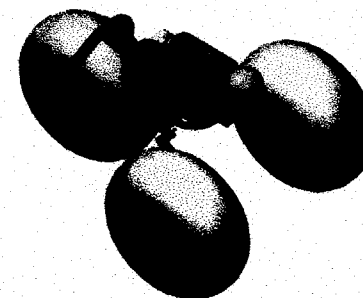
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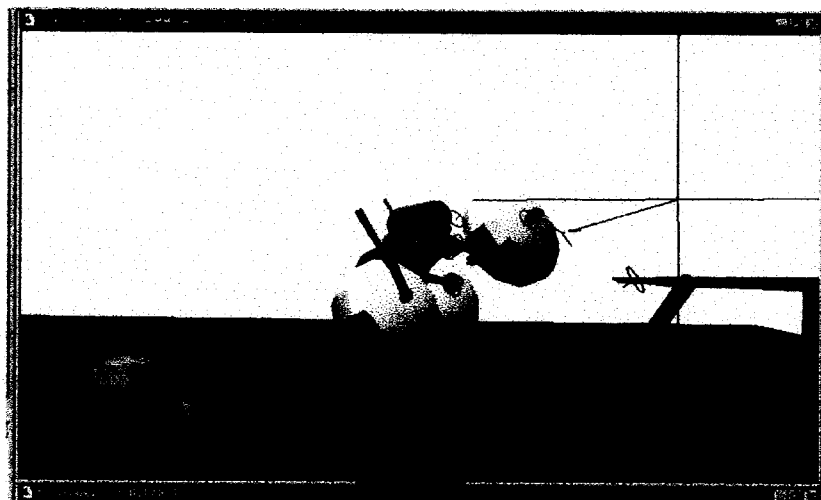
Lander Configuration



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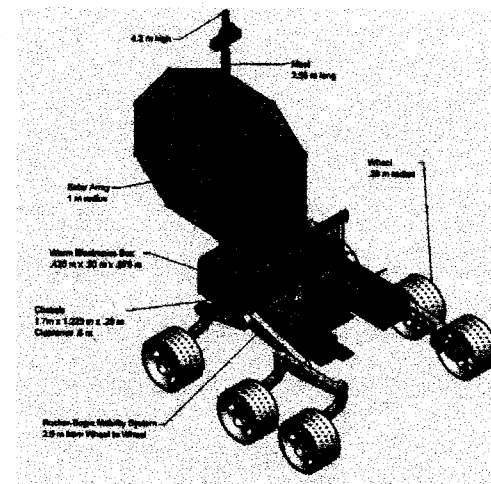


Surface Configuration



Operational Scenario  
Simulation

SURF 2001 Rover  
(MSMS Rover Team)



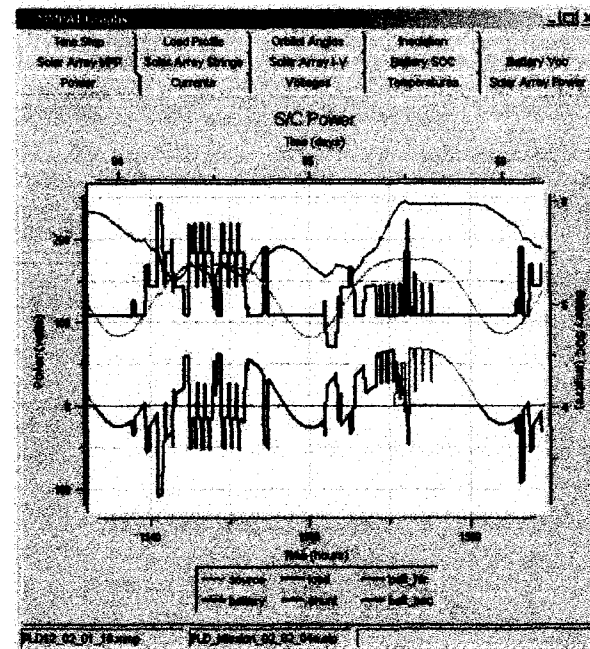
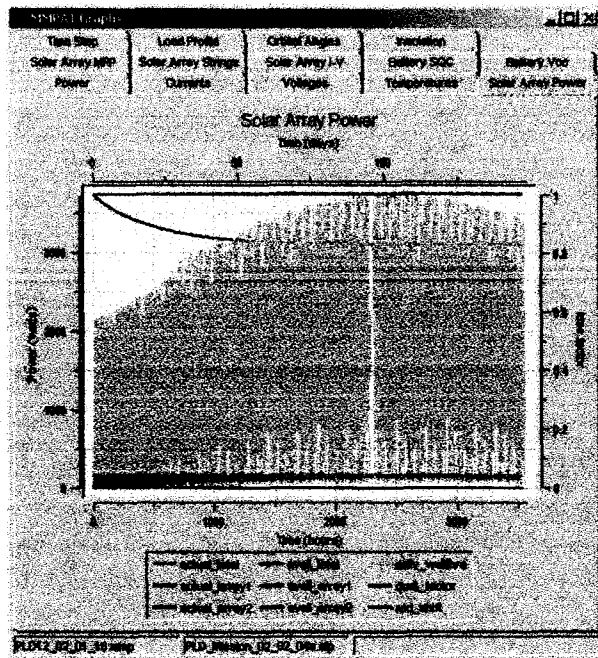
**Support:** Mechanical (parts and assemblies), Structural, Surface Mobility/Ops Simulations,  
Trade Studies, Mass Summary





# *Power Analysis/Simulation Tool*

## *Multi-Mission Power Analysis Tool (MMPAT)*



**JPL's Multi-Mission Power Analysis Tool (MMPAT) Included in Environment**

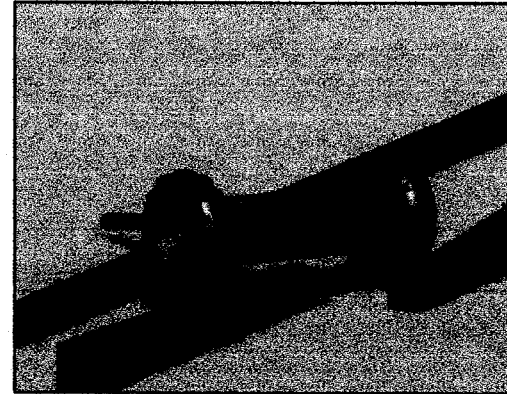
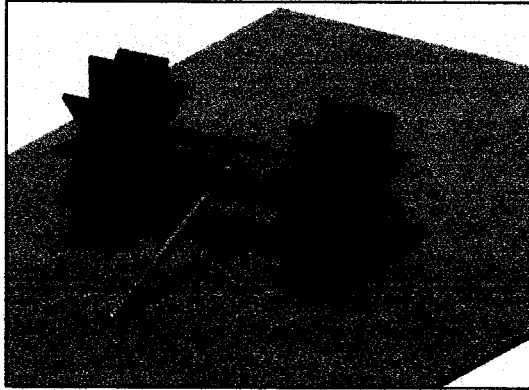
Calculates, for a Given Location, Date, and Mission Power Profile:

- Solar Power Available
- Battery Charge and Voltage
- Solar Panels and Battery Sizes/Capacities

Plan to Introduce Avionics and Telecom Tools Later

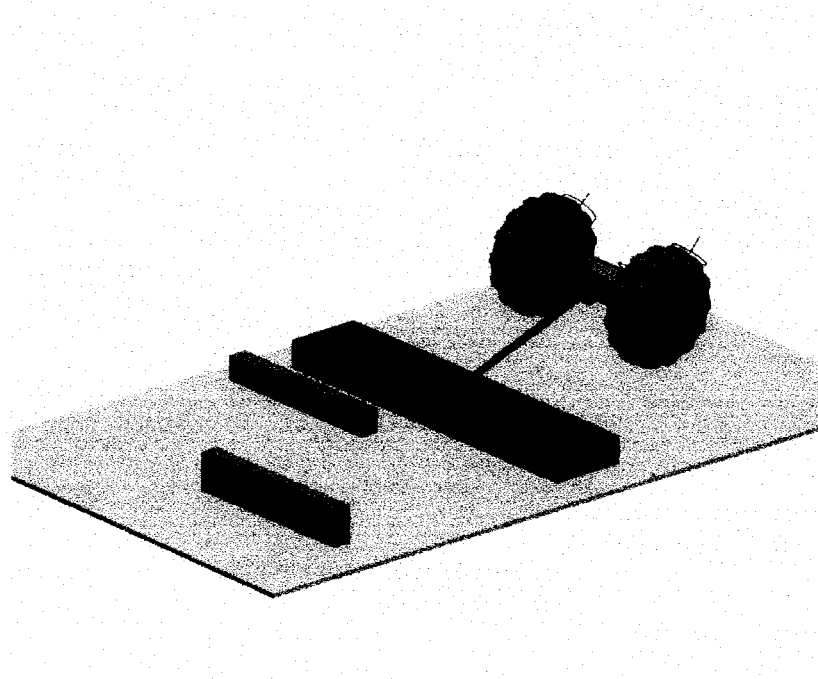
# *Simulation/Virtual Testing*

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## Trades

Wheel Diameter  
Castor length  
Wheel Base  
Wheel plus rim  
Castor Mass  
Axelrod Mass  
Axel Mass



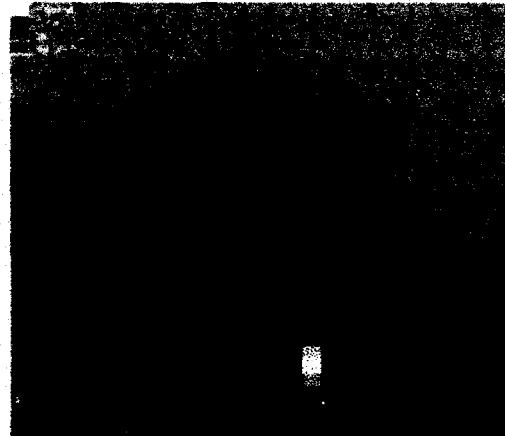
## Tools Used

Inventor  
and visualNASTRAN



# CFD and Immersive 3D COTS Tools

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Sample temperature  
distribution - CFdesign

Closeup Meshed  
probe - CFdesign



Dr Tibor Balint, Assessment of Commercial Off the Shelf  
Computational Fluid Dynamics (COTS-CFD) Tools to Enhance the  
Concurrent Design Environment at NASA-JPL, JPL, May 2002

Immersive  
FEA design  
and analysis



IR coverage  
quality

Yves Rubin, Using 3D Visualization and Virtual Reality to Enhance  
the Concurrent Design Environment at NASA-JPL, May 2002

## Objective

Evaluate CFD and 3D Immersive Tools For use in a  
Real-Time Concurrent Design Environments

Evaluation and Recommendation Completed



## *Future Directions*

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- Develop An Art to Part Design Process for space vehicles (Concept to Hardware)
- Better Utilization of COTS tools in the Analysis, Design, and Simulation Areas
- Better Utilization of STEP
- Use of HPC (supercomputers, parallel computing systems)
  - CFD, Thermal, Structural)
- Utilization of Concurrent Design Teams **throughout the Design Process**, and throughout the **Organization**
- Define, train, and **set up of new Design Teams** (JPL, NASA centers [MSFC, LaRC, NARC, ], NASDA, industry, and academia [Stanford, MIT, University of Michigan])
- Develop a Weeklong Concurrent Design Training Class for NASA Engineers (NASA Code FT)
- **New Design Paradigms Series of Workshops** (<http://newdesignparadigms.jpl.nasa.gov>)
- **Develop Working Relationships with Academic Organizations/Initiate Research**
  - Caltech (SURF, on-going)
  - International Space University (ISU)
  - MIT, Stanford, University of Irvine California, Pasadena Art Center, University of Southern California (TBD)
  - University of Michigan (April 2002)
- Port Concurrent Design Approaches to New Sectors